House Resolution No. 3323

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Eileen O'Toole will commemorate her Seventy-fifth birthday on May 21, 2007; and

Whereas, on May 21, 1932, God brought a special gift to Robert Michael and Ruth Mary Flynn O'Toole with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Eileen, who would put a twinkle in their eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Eileen O'Toole will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as growing up in the company of four brothers, James, Robert, William, and Donald; singing on the radio at the age of three; winning a beauty contest at the age of four, and visiting Kresge's Five and Dime for waffles and ice cream; and

Whereas, Eileen O'Toole has been blessed with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include four children, Karen, Ruthann, Michele and her husband, the Honorable Fred Kratky, Missouri State Representative of the 65th District, and Robert and his wife, Kara Clifton; and five grandchildren, Mark Mechler and his wife, Amy, Steven Kratky, Nicholas Kratky, Michael Alberti, and Alyssa Alberti; and

Whereas, a loving mother and exemplary homemaker, Eileen O'Toole further distinguished herself by working for the Board of Election Commissioners, the Recorder of Deeds Office, and the Circuit Clerks Office, and by serving as a Democratic Committeewoman in St. Louis from 1968 to 1984; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 75, Eileen O'Toole is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Honorable Fred Kratky in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to his dear mother-in-law, Eileen O'Toole, at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eileen O'Toole, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by Representative Fred Kratky

District No. 65

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3323, adopted May 9, 2007.